

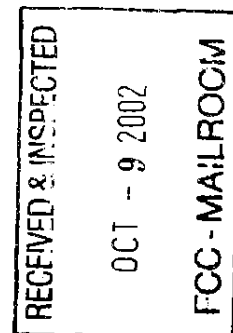


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Federal Communications Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20554

October 4, 2002

Linda Crawford  
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Dallas, Texas 75219



Re: Petition for Rule Making  
Mackay, Idaho - Channel 254C1

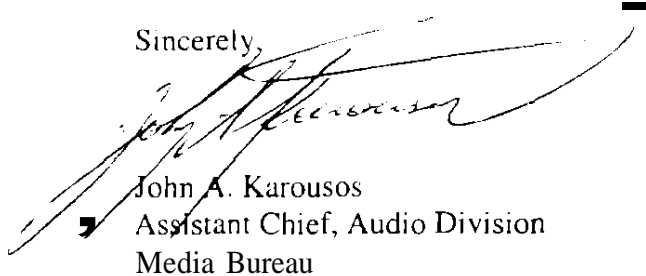
Dear Ms. Crawford:

This is in response to the Petition for Rule Making that you filed requesting the allotment of Channel 254C1 at Mackay, Idaho, as that community's first local aural transmission service.

Your request for the allotment of Channel 254C1 at Mackay, is unacceptable. Our engineering analysis indicates that the site that you specify in your proposal (43-49-32 NL and 113-5 1-47 WL) will not provide city-grade coverage to the community due to a terrain blockage. Channel 254C1 cannot be site-restricted to provide the required city grade coverage to Mackay while affording the required protection to surrounding FM stations.

Based on the above, we are returning your proposal for Mackay, Idaho. You may resubmit the petition, provided that you make a showing that a fully-spaced transmitter site is available that provides city grade coverage to the entire community

Sincerely,



John A. Karousos  
Assistant Chief, Audio Division  
Media Bureau

Enclosure

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Before the  
**Federal Communications Commission**  
Washington, D.C. 20554

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In the Matter of )  
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Amendment of 73.202 (b) )  
Table of Allotments )  
FM Broadcast Stations )  
(Mackay, Idaho) )

MM Docket No. \_\_\_\_\_

To: John Karousos, Chief  
Allocations Branch  
Mass Media Bureau

PETITION FOR RULE MAKING

Pursuant to 47 C.F.R. 1.401, Linda Crawford respectfully petitions the FCC to institute a Rule Making proceeding to amend the FM Table of Allotments to add Channel 254C1 at Mackay, Idaho.

DISCUSSION

Petitioner respectfully submits that the public interest would be served by allocating Channel 254C1 to Mackay, Idaho, as that community's first aural broadcast transmission service. Mackay is an incorporated city with a population of over 560 people. Mackay has its own mayor, Oscar Womek, its own post office, its own school system, its own volunteer fire department, its own city hall and a number of local churches.

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Attached hereto is a channel study confirming that Channel 254C1 can be allocated to Mackay, Idaho consistent with the FCC's FM separation rules See revision of FM Assignment Policies and Procedures, 90 FCC 2d 88 (1992).

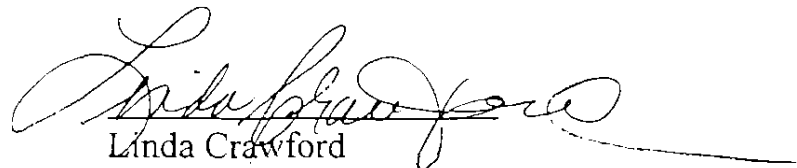
Reference coordinates are:

43 49 32 N  
113 51 47 W

Should this petition be granted, and Channel 254C1 be allotted to Mackay, Idaho Petitioner will apply for Channel 254C1, and after it is authorized, will promptly construct the new facility.

The information provided in this Petition for Rule Making is correct and true to the best of my knowledge.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Linda Crawford", is written over a horizontal line.

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October 2, 2001

Mackay

MAPFM search of channel 254C1 (98.7 MHz), at N. 43 49 32, W. 113 51 47

Searching Channel 254C1 (98.7 MHz):

CALL	CITY	ST	CHN	CL	S	DIST	SEPN	BRNG	CLEARANCE
KLLP	CHUBBUCK	ID	253	C2	U	158.8	158.0	129.3°	0.8
KLLP	CHUBBUCK	ID	253	C2	L	158.6	156.0	129.3"	0.6
KBJY	ENNIS	MT	254	C2	U	239.5	224.0	44.9°	15.5
KBJY	ENNIS	MT	254	C2	C	225.7	224.0	44.30	1.7
KGZH	NYSSA	OR	254	C1	U	244.8	245.0	259.3°	-0.2
KGZH	NYSSA	OR	254	C1	L	249.8	245.0	259.2"	4.8
KTPZ	MOUNTAIN HOME	ID	256	C	U	142.6	105.0	243.1°	37.6
KTPZ	MOUNTAIN HOME	ID	256	C	L	142.6	105.0	243.1°	37.6